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#### A Reminiscence.

Moncure D. Conway is writing some very gossipy and interesting letters from the French watering-places to the Cincinnati Commercial. The letter from which we make an extract is written from Trouville, and the distinguished American referred to is the tate John M. Daniel the editor and proprietor of the Richmond Ex-

aminer. The letter says: Madame George Sand has gone to Cabourg, where she promenades the sands all day with her grand-children. There is any amount of choice watering-places in the neighborhood from the most ornate, like Trouville, to the most primitive like Yport. Saint Adresse is this year rather popular. The most interesting resident of Saint Adresse was Madame Pauline de Noirfontaine who died there last week. Twenty-five years ago her drawingroom in Paris was noted for its soirces, attended by the most eminent people in that metropolis. She was hospitable to persons of all shades of politics, but her particular friends were among the Republicans who afterward caused the events of 1848. M. Louis Blane and Marshal Vaillant there met in 1864. But her salon was particularly noted as that in which the famous clairvoyant Alexis began his seances when he produced such a profound sensation in Paris. I do not know whether Madame de Noirfontaine was one of the innumerable converts who flocked to Alexis, and who did nothing for the rest of their lives but try to galvanize or magnetize themselves and other people; but her house was the chief centre from which first spread the psy-causing him to turn a somerset from the saddle chological epidemic which has since survived to the ground; but was not injured in the least. in so many shapes. She was long the pereonal friend of Queen Christina, who had a marine | Centreville's youthful orator, Wm. Summers, villa at Saint Adresse, and to be near her built, esq. The coronation address was delivered by several years ago, the pretty chalet in which the deputy clerk of Fairfax county, who is now

she has just died. whom I have already mentioned as being at been erected for the occasion, and then, com-Trouville, but whom I will now call Madame mencing with the "Royal set," the "light fan-R. Inheriting one of the most distinguished tastic toe" began its operation, and had not names that the world has ever known-but a ceased when your most humble servant name which covers as little moral principle as any in recent history-she has for years glittered in every Court of Europe. At last she gained such notoriety that some of the Courts began to close doors against her. It was rather curious that one of the first to exclude Madame R. (then Madame B.) from its receptions should be that whose moral odor is the very worst in Europe-that of Italy. But so it was that some years ago, when a grand so it was that some years ago, when a grand ball was to be given at the palace in Turio, the beauty sat in her villa expecting the invitation which did not arrive. Her most intimate friend there, according to Italian gossip, was a young American, who, after having achieved the reputation of an intellectual phenomenon, the property of the property of the property of the reputation of an intellectual phenomenon, the property of streaming through the southern skies with a brilliantly-edited newspaper for his comet-tail, had been made Charge d'Affaires at Turin.— This young Minister was a man of genius and a scholar, but he was very erratic. He had fought a dozen duels in his native Virginia and politically, he was a fire-cater. Yet I, who knew him well through many years, knew that he had a true and tender heart deep beneath the proud and formidable exterior he chose to put forward in the eyes of the world. She who has since become Madame R. found out the same, and managed to become the object of as deep a passion as man ever felt for woman. Despite the severe exclusion of the Italian Court, all the more because of it, the intriganta resolved that to that ball she would go; and she invoked the aid of her lover, the American Charge, to take her there. Take her he did, He asked an invitation for her; it was refused. Nevertheless, when the ball was at its height, in walked the American with the ostracised beauty leaning on his arm, and dressed in a way that might have excluded her even had her character been less the subject of gossip. In the great day when the sea gives up its dead the correspondence which this event occasioned between the virtuous John B. Floyd and the Charge at Turin, and between the Turinese and Washington Governments, may see the light. The row was tremendous, though it was carried on in diplomatic circles, and the public heard only a little of it. A gentleman who saw the lady-now Madame R. -on that occasion declared to me that she was the most beautiful being he ever beheld, and filled his ideal of a Roman goddess. I remembered the remark when I saw her at the last Carnival in Rome, dashing along the Corso in a fine equipage. gaily dressed, and throwing bonbons and flowers to the crowd. The masses did homage to her beauty. Her husband, one of the most eminent Italian statesmen, stood, I remember, with us in the crowd, and as he smoked his cigar looked with a half comical, half cynical expression upon the sensation his brilliant wife

But when I met her the other evening, in a room for the first time, I wondered where the beauty had fled. I saw a woman, not, indee !. without some attractions, but with a great deal of boldness and a strong inclination to be fat. Her complexion was artistic, and she had that most painful expression of a women clutching at her vanished youth. May it not be that the ancients, in what they narate of faithless, unchaste vestals buried alive, cunningly signifi ed the tendency of luxurious ladies to become entombed in heavy masses of flesh? At any rate, Madame R. seems to be here at Trouville a person whom I am glad my poor dead southern friend cannot look upon. He took her to the great hall; he offended the Court and of fended his own Government by it; he escaped a recall by the skin of his teeth; all for her-and she flitted a way from him like a butterfly at the first call of some martinet in scarlet and gold. Hither, thither, from flower to flower, she passes, knowing very well that in the Courts of Europe virtue is a light cloud, while beauty and wealth and a grand name are keys which will unlock any courts. She became by marriage the first lady, officially, in Italy, next to the Queen-this woman who had to cling to the skirts of her American lover to get to a Court ball! Meanwhile the American no sooner hears that the war between North and South, to be far the most popular machine in the marwhich he had long expected, had begun than he throws down with scorn the commission than their highest competitor. Over 200 in daily which no longer represents his beloved Virginis due in this city. This preference for the Singer is due to its simplicity, durability and intrinsic ia, and hurries back to join in the struggle. ia, and hurries back to join in the struggle.

Life, indeed, had now but few attractions for him. He had lived ages in his years, though him. He had lived ages in his years, though they were not yet forty in number. He is soon wounded while serving on the staff of an emi- | aug 20

nent Confederate general; but it is only the arm that is in ruins. He recovers enough to return again to the paper which had once been the daily sensation of the South. But he has an eye keen enough to see the coils of fate closing around his beloved South. That broke his

When the army of the Union was drawing near to Richmond he wrote, I remember, an editorial in which occurred the words, "If the Federal armies ever enter Richmond, those who shall be unfortunate enough to live to see that day,.' &c. The day came when the American army did enter Richmond, and at the dawn of that day were closed in death the eyes of the most gifted man the South has produced in recent times. When in the brilliant salon I saw the woman he loved so long and devotedly, and for whom he braved the world, I saw his gloomy brow and his magnificent black eyes spectrally beside her. But I should say, if he were sitting beside her, it must have been in a very shadowy way indeed, not sufficiently pronounced to interfere with the newest flirta-

tion on hand. But I should remark that the Countess of whom I have been writing is not Italian by birth; she is French.

COMMUNICATED. There was a grand tournament and pic-nic given by the "Fairfax Mounted Guards," in a

grove on Mr. Jas. P. Machen's farm, on Friday, August 30th, 1872, which proved to be "a well gotten up thing;" although there were only fourteen Knights entered to contend for the honor of the day. The riding commenced about 11 o'clock, and after about a two hour's contest the following gentlemen, together with the ladies they respectively crowned, were declared by the judges the victors of the chivalric contest, viz: Robt. V. Utterback, of Fairfax, crowned Miss Mary Schutter, of Washington, D. C., Queen of "Love and Beauty;" Walter Palmer, of Loudoun, crowned Miss Celie Or-rison, of Fairfax, 1st Maid of Honor; Mack M. Jamieson, of Centreville, crowned Miss Bert Wrenn, of Fairfax, 2d Maid of Honor; and B. D. Utterback, jr., of Fairfax, crowned Miss Bettie Fox, of Fairfax, 3d Maid of Honor, Fairfax C. H. was not represented in the tilting, on account of the late arrival of W. E. Thomas, W. E. Graham, R. F. Broadwater and Henry L. Gunnell, who intended to represent her. During the riding the Knight of "Somerset" The address to the Knights was delivered by on a sojourn in this vicinity, in a very senti-Very different associations are aroused by the sight of that brilliant Italian Countess the occasion, and then, com-

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DISEASES OF IMPRUDENCE. Weakness of the Back or Limbs, Strictures, Affection of the Kidneys or Bladder, Involuntary Discharges, Impotency, General Debility, Nervousness, Dyspepsia, Languor, Low Spirits, Confusion of Ideas, Palpitation of the Heart, Timidity, Trembting, Dinness of Sight, or Giddiness, Disease of the Head, Throat, Nose or Skin, Affections of the Liver, Lungs, Stomach or Bowels—those terrible Disorders arising from Solitary Habits of Youth—secret and solitary practices more fatal to their victims than the songs of the Syrens to the Mariners of Ulysses, blighting their most brilliant hopes or anticipations, &c.

YOUNG MEN. Especially, who have become the victims of Solitary Vice, and dreadful and destructive habits which annually sweep to an untimely grave thousands of young men of the most exalted talents and brilliant intellect, who might otherwise have outstanded listening Sounds. otherwise have entranced listening Senates with the thunders of eloquence, or waked to extacy the living lyre, may call with full confidence.

MARRIAGE.

Married persons, or Young Men contemplat-ing marriage, aware of Physical Weakness Loss of Procreative Power—Impotency,) Ner-yous Excitability, Palpitation, Organic Weak-ness, Nervous Debility, or any other Disqualification, speedily relieved.

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may religiously confide in his honor as a gentle-man, and confidently rely upon his skill as a physician.

ORGANIC WEAKNESS. Immediately cured and Full Vigor Restored. This distressing Affection—which renders life miserable and marriage impossible—is the penalty paid by the victims of improper indulgencies. Young persons are too apt to commit excesses from not being aware of the dreadful consequences that may ensue. Now, who that understands the subject will pretend to deny that the natural powers are lost sooner by those fall-ing into improper habits than by the prudent? Besides being deprived of the pleasure of healthy Besides being deprived of the pleasure of heatthy offspring, the most serious and destructive symptoms of both body and mind arise. The system becomes deranged, the Physical and Mental Functions weakened. Loss of Procreative Power Nervous, Irritability, Dyspepsia, Palpitation of the Heart, Indigestion, Constitutional Debility, and Wasting of the Frame, Cough, Consumption Decay and Death tion, Decay and Death.

A CURE WARRANTED IN TWO DAY Relief in Six Hours! No Mercury!

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Member of the Royal College of Surgery of

London, Graduate of one of the most eminent Colleges in the United States, and the greater

part of whose life has been spent in the hospitals of London, Paris, Philadelphia and elsewhere, has effected some of the most astonishing cures that were ever known; many troubled with ringing in the head and ears when asleep, great nervousness, being alarmed at sudden sounds, bashfulness, with frequent blushing, attended

sometimes with derangement of mind, were cured immediately. TAKE PARTICULAR NOTICE. Dr. J. addresses all those who have injured hemselves by improper indulgence and solitary

habits, which ruin both body and mind, unfitting

them for either business, study, society or mar-

riage.
These are some of the sad and melancholy ef-

feets produced by the early habits of youth, viz: Weakness of the Back and Limbs, Pains in the Head, Dimness of Sight, Loss of muscular Power, Palpitation of the Heart, Dyspepsia, Nervous Irritability, Derangement of the Digestive Functions, General Debility, Symtoms of Consump-MENTALLY.-The fearful effects on the mind are much to be dreaded. Loss of Memory, Con-

fusion of Ideas, Depression of Spirits, Evil Fore-bodings, Aversion to Society, Self Distrust, Love of Solitude, Timidity, &c., are some of the evils produced.

Thousands of persons of all ages can now judge what is the cause of their declining health, losing their vigor, becoming weak, pale, nervous and emaciated, having a singular appearance about the eyes, cough and symptoms of Consumption. produced.

YOUNG MEN Who have injured themselves by a certain practice, already described, a habit frequently learned from evil companions or at school, the effects of which are nightly felt, even when asleep, and if not cured, renders marriage impossible, and destroys both mind and body, should apply im-

What a pity that a young man, the hope of his country, the pride of his parents, should be snatched from all prospects and enjoyment of life by the consequence of deviating from the path of nature, and indulging in pernicious habits. Such persons must, before comtemplat-

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ing.

Reflect that a sound mind and body are the most necessary requisites to promote connubial happiness. Indeed, without these the journey happiness. Indeed, without these the joining through life becomes a weary pilgrimage, the prospect hourly darkens to the view, the mind becomes shadowed with despair, and filled with the melancholy reflection that the happiness of another is blighted with our own.

When the misguided and imprudent votary of pleasure finds that he has imbibed the seeds of this painful disease, it too often happens that an ill-timed sense of shame or dread of discovery deters him from applying to those who, from education and respectability, can alone befriend him, delaying till the constitutional symptoms of this horrid disease makes their appearance, such as ulcerated sore throat, diseased nose, nocturnal pains in the head and limbs, dimness of sight, deafness, nodes on the shin bones and arms, blotches on the head, face and extremities, progressing with frightful rapidity, till at last the palate of the mouth or the bones of the nose tall in, and the victim of this awful disease becomes a horrid object of commisseration till death puts a period to his dreadful suffering, by sending him to that undiscovered country "from

whence no traveller returns."

It is a melancholy fact that thousands DIE victims to this terrible disease, through falling into the hands of ignorant or unskilful PRE-TENDERS, who, by the use of that deadly Poison, Mercury, &c., destroy the constitution, and incapable of curing, keep the unhappy sufferer month after month taking their noxious or injurious compounds, and instead of being reinjurious compounds, and instead of being re-stored to a renewal of Life, Vigor and Happiness in despair leaves him with ruined Health to sigh

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doors from the corner. Fail not to observe uame and number.

The many thousands cured at this Establish ment, year after year, and the numerous importand many other persons, notices of which have and many other persons, notices of which have appeared again and again before the public, be-sides his standing as a gentleman of character and responsibility, is a sufficient guarantee to the

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